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Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Date: Update: August 11

Date: February 21, 2021 Time: 4:22am Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting - Homicide

Location of Offense/Incident: 35/2 Greenwich St	Zone: 4 Precinct: 2		
Incident Report #: 210121917	Cruiser District: 23		
Victim: Josie Papay Kamara	Sex: Male	Race: Black	Age: 27
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Suspect: Nuur Ali Hassan	Address: 1114 Atcheson St., Columbus, Ohio		
	Sex: Male	Race: Black	Age: 17
Charges: Murder			
Suspect:	Address:		
☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File	Sex:	Race:	Age:
Charges:			
Incident Summary: *****Update - August 11, 2021: The suspect in Homicide 2021-0031 has been Identified as Nuur Ali Hassan M/B/17. Mr. Hassan has been arrested for murder and in custody at this time.**** *****Update - February 24, 2021: The victim of Homicide 2021-0031 had been identified as Josie Papay Kamara M/B/27 YOA.**** On February 21, 2021, at 4:22am, Patrol Officers were dispatched to an unknown complaint, with a possible shooting in the area of 3566 Greenwich St. Upon arrival, Officers located the victim inside of 3572 Greenwich St. suffering from a gunshot wound. The victim was transported to a local area hospital by CFD Medic #62 in life threatening condition; however, despite life saving measures, the victim was pronounced at 8:03am by attending physicians. At this time, it appears, that there was a party taking place at the Greenwich St. location when an argument erupted and an unknown person began firing a weapon inside the apartment.			
Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Section at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.			
This is the 31st Homicide in Columbus, Ohio in Calendar Year 2021. Incident #210121917. Detective Camp-Donovan is the lead Detective on the case being assisted by Det. Close			
This incident is still under investigation.			
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